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Re: MUR 6590/Request for Extension of Time

Dear Mr. Jordan:

As you know, I have been designated to act as counsel for the Columbus Metropolitan Club in MUR 6590.

I accepted service of the complaint in MUR 6590 on behalf of the Columbus Metropolitan Club on Friday, June 22, 2012. As you know, 11 C.F.R. § 111.6(a) provides that a respondent may file a written response to a complaint within fifteen (15) days of receiving it. Since service of the complaint was not effectuated until June 22, 2012, a response is due on Monday, July 9, 2012.

Although I have initiated an investigation into the allegations of the complaint, due to the upcoming Fourth of July holiday there will not be sufficient time to complete that effort and file a written response on behalf of the Columbus Metropolitan Club by Monday, July 9, 2012. In order to prepare a complete response to the allegations in the complaint, I will need to interview the employees of the Columbus Metropolitan Club as well as other witnesses who may have direct knowledge of the events alleged to have occurred in the complaint. Accordingly, I hereby request an extension of time of thirty (30) days until Thursday, August 8, 2012 in order to file a response to the complaint in MUR 6590.

Sincerely,



Brett G. Kappel

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